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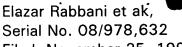
Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time within which to respond to the Final Office Action mailed June 5, 2000. The original time for responding to the Final Office Action expired September 5, 2000. With the expected grant of this Request for Extension of Time, the time for responding to the Final Office Action is now December 5, 2000. Accordingly, the accompanying Continued Prosecution Application is timely filed.

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